

**MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST
NR-ELIGIBILITY REVIEW FOR**

HO-754

Property Name: Abandoned FarmsteadAddress: Route 144, Parcel D, (Rear of Parcel A), West Friendship, Howard County, MD 21794Owner: Howard County Government, 3430 Court House Drive, Ellicott City, MDTax Parcel Number: 42 Tax Map Number: 15, Grid 16Project: HO741A21, Opus Wetland Creation (US 29) Agency: MD SHASite visit by SHA X Staff: X no yes Name Date Eligibility recommended No Eligibility not recommended XCriteria: A B C D Considerations: A B C D E F G NoneIs property located within a historic district? X no yes Name of district N/AIs district listed? N/A no yesDocumentation on the property/district is presented in: X Project Review and Compliance files

Description of Property and Eligibility Determination:

The abandoned farmstead, dating to the first half of the twentieth century, for the most part, includes a frame, ca. 1930 house, a small frame tenant house, concrete block equipment storage shed, a frame and concrete block barn with extensions, a frame shed and a frame corncrib, plus a concrete block shed and equipment storage shed. In the late nineteenth century the farmland may have been part of a tenant farm, possibly connected with the Milton Shipley House (H-645), located at 2920 MD 32.

This complex of deteriorating and long abandoned buildings is typical for its time frame, and is composed of structures which lack architectural and historical significance. The dwelling is an undistinguished variation of a foursquare structure. It is open to the elements and has been vandalized. The agricultural outbuildings are equally undistinguished in terms of their architectural and structural components and some are very deteriorated. The property, in its current state, lacks any architectural significance and therefore would not meet the National Register criterion C. In addition, it has no known significant association with important persons or events, thus it is not significant under Criteria A, or B. As documented in the archeological report Phase I Archaeological Survey, US 29; Hopkins-Gorman Road Wetland Mitigation (Opus Site), the newly identified site 18HO237 is the archeological component of the farmstead, which was also determined to lack significance to warrant inclusion in the National Register of Historic Places under Criterion D.

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Comments: <u>SEE PHASE I ARCHEOLOGICAL SURVEY REPORT: HOPKINS-GORMAN ROAD WETLAND MITIGATION (OPUS SITE) FOR DISCUSSION OF ELIGIBILITY.</u>	
Reviewer, Office of Preservation Services <u>[Signature]</u>	Date <u>11/30/00</u>
Reviewer, NR program <u>[Signature]</u>	Date <u>12/6/00</u>

**PRESERVATION VISION 2000; THE MARYLAND PLAN
STATEWIDE HISTORIC CONTEXTS****I. Geographic Region:**

- ☐ Eastern Shore (all Eastern Shore counties, and Cecil)
☐ Western Shore (Anne Arundel, Calvert, Charles, Prince George's and St. Mary's)
☒ Piedmont (Baltimore City, Baltimore, Carroll, Frederick, Harford, Howard, Montgomery)
☐ Western Maryland (Allegany, Garrett and Washington)

II. Chronological/Developmental Periods:

- ☐ Rural Agrarian Intensification ☐ A.D. 1680-1815
☐ Agricultural-Industrial Transition ☐ A.D. 1815-1870
☐ Industrial/Urban Dominance ☒ A.D. 1870-1930
☐ Modern Period ☒ A.D. 1930-Present
☐ Unknown Period (☐ prehistoric ☐ historic)

III. Historic Period Themes:

- ☒ Agriculture
☒ Architecture, Landscape Architecture,
and Community Planning
☐ Economic (Commercial and Industrial)
☐ Government/Law
☐ Military
☐ Religion
☐ Social/Educational/Cultural
☐ Transportation

IV. Resource Type:

Category: Buildings
Historic Environment: Rural
Historic Function(s) and Use(s): Domestic/Dwellings (Main house and tenant house): Agricultural outbuildings
Known Design Source: None

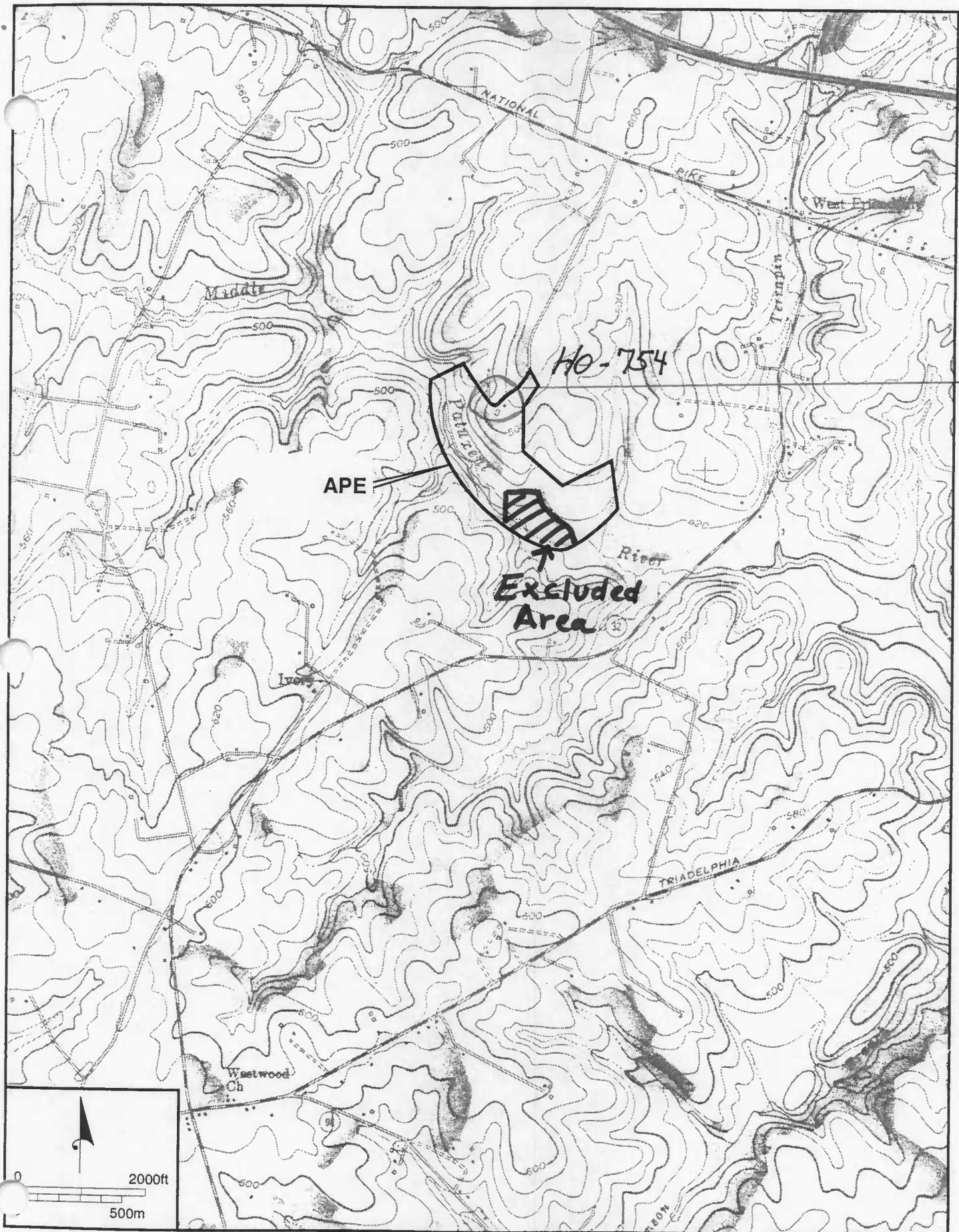


Figure 2. Location of project area (USGS 1957 *Sykesville, MD*, 7.5' Series Quadrangle, revised 1979, Washington, D.C.).

(STRUCTURES ASSOCIATED WITH AREASO. SITE # 18H0237)

ABANDONED FARMstead
Co. 144, FARMED West FARMstead



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Pfefferkorn Environmental Area
Howard Co. MD

May 11, 2000

BC/KH - JMA

Negs - MDSHPO

looking E at main house

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looking W at main house



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looking N at south elevation
closeup of foundation



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Neg's MD SHPO

looking W at possible
tenant house

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Pfefferkorn Environmental Area

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May 1, 2000

BC/KH - JMA

Neg's - MDSHPO

looking S at Barn

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Pfefferkorn Environmental Area

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May 11, 2000

BC/KH-JMA

Neg's MD SHPO

looking W at Outbuilding

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